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Attention is invited to the attached copy of an Official Action, with English translation, issued in a counterpart Chinese application dated July 7, 2006, citing U.S. 5,846,280. A completed Form PTO/SB/08A is also attached.

A concise explanation of relevance is not necessary (and is not included) as a complete translation of the Official Action is provided. See MPEP §609.04(a).

Official citation and consideration of the listed document is requested. Please return to the undersigned a copy of the attached PTO/SB/08A with the examiner's initials in the left column [MPEP §609] with the next communication.

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